the Supposed Cause.

Early This Morning.

years old, of 126 Smith street, Brooklyn, brother Jacob were taken to the Morgoe ing World" yesterday, that the Reading committed suicide early this morning.

he slipped a rope around his neck, and standing upon the desk he fastened the rope to a hook on the meat rack. Then be kicked the desk over and his body swung in the air.

He was strangled to death. His body was almost cold when discovered by his eldest son an hour later.

Goeper lived with his wife and five

Gooper fived with his wire the store the had a good business, was in prosper-ous circumstances and took an active interest in politics.
Goeper's friends are unable to account for his act except on the theory that he had become temporarily insane over the death of an old friend and competitor in business.

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Years ago Goeper started in business in a small store at Smith and Dean streets. Soon afterwards George Buddle opened a small meat shop at No. 116 on the same block.

The two butchers fought for the trade of the neighbors, and both built up a good business. As their fortunes increased they became last friends.

They belonged to the same Masonic lodge, and they were frequently seen in each other's company.

On Sept. 28 Buddle was taken suddenly ill and died. The doctors said that heart disease was the cause of death.

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Goepel was heart-broken over the death of his friend. Tears came to his eyes whenever Buddle's death was re-

death of his flexible should be seen whenever Buddle's death was referred to.

Last night was the regular time for a the the tight was the regular time for the the tight of the the tight of the the tight of tight of

Several years ago his mother lost her fife by failing from the roof of the house in which he ended his life. Goeper was a member of Cosmopoli-tan Lodge F. and A. M. and Union Lodge I. O. O. F.

DETECTIVE TIRED OF LIFE.

One of Pinkerton's Men Tries to Commit Buleide.

Joseph Leon, who was a Pinkerton detective at Glen Island during the past season, tried to commit suicide by shooting himself to-day in the hallway of his home, 980 Third avenue. He was removed to Bellevue Hospital. Leon is forty-four years old. Eight is a re-years ago he married Mrs. Michaels, a material m

widow, who has a costumer's establishment at 980 Third avenue, where she

ment at 980 Third avenue, where she has been in business eighteen years.

Mrs. Leon's business is lucrative, and her second husband has being living a life of case since he married her. He seldom did any work. He would not even help his wife in the business, but went on periodical sprees, and occasionally spent as much as £50 of his wife's money.

Early last Summer he was appointed Pinkerton detective on Glen Island, and was there all season. When the season was over he went back home, but had no money to give his wife. He told her he had not received his salary from the Pinkertons, but that it would he forthcoming in a few days. He kept putting her off from time to time.

A week ago to-day he told Mrs. Leon that he was to get his money sure that day. He left home, and nothing more was heard from him until this morning. At 3 A. M. the family were awakened by order and a pistol shot in the hall.

L. J. Michaels, Leon's stepson, got up to see what was the matter. When he went out into the hall Leon called to him, saying:

"It's me. I've shot myself. The pistol."

went out into the hall Leon the him, saying:
"It's me. I've shot myself. The pistol is on the stairs."
Toung Michaels called Policeman McCauley, who had Leon taken to the hospital. Leon had shot himself in the right side above the hip. He may die. On the way to the hospital he told the ambulance surgeon that he was tired of

SEAMAN NEIL A SUICIDE.

The Man Who Lashed Admiral Farragut to the Hartford's Rigging.

VALLEIO, Cal., Oct. 18.—John Nell, a seaman.

VALLEIO, Cal., Oct. 18.—John Neil, a seaman fine the United States Navy, serving on board the glass front of the lower floor. It was evident receiving ship Independence. Mare Island Navy VALLEIO, Cal., Oct. 18.-John Neil, a seamen the United States Navy, serving on board the receiving ship Independence. Mare island Navy Tard, committed suicide yesterdar by shouting limits of the head. Nell was reprimended restandard morning for having overstayed his leave of absence and was numished by restriction to the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as the ship for a period of sixty days. As soon as he received his sentence he went into the ship hag-froom, where he was found later with a builet wound in his right temple.

Nell was a man of unusual distinction, having received medial honors from Congress for bravery and meritorious conduct. He enlisted in the Navy in 1851, served with Parragut at Mobile Hay and lashed the immettal Admiral in the rigging of the Hartford, while he stood by his side throughout the fight.

Since the war he had served continuously in the Navy and was one of the aurityors of the ill-fated Trenton, which west down in Apia Harbor. He received general mention for bravery in reacting chipmates from the Vandaira, which was also wrecked in the same gale, He was a mative of Ireland, aged sight-time, and a member of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Regular Army and Navy Union.

WAS IT ACCIDENT OR SUICIDE?

Mr. Copeland Found Shot Through the Beart and His Gun Beside Him.

WEST BRIDGEWATER, Mass., Oct. 18 ries W. Copeland was found dead yesterday in a field near his house with a charge of buck abot through his heart. His gan was tying with the muzzle pointed away from him and near a

BUTCHER GOEPER'S SUICIDE, JACOB WINTER'S JEALOUSY, BULLS TAKE FULL CONTROL. THE

Grief Over the Death of a Rival It Led Him to Kill His Sister and Advices from Washington Gives a A PROMINENT PROPESSOR GIVE; Boom to the Market.

He Hanged Himself in His Store She Had Refused to Give Up a Lackawanna a Special Feature, Rising 314 Points.

John Goeper, a butcher, forty-six. The bolles of Louise Winter and her. The fact, as announced by "The Even o clock and began making preparations old and pretty. Her brother was twenty- encouraging advices from Washington to end his life. After moving his desk eight, He was devotedly attached to in regard to prospective silver legislat assembled to listen to his wisdom, up to within a few feet of the ice-box her, and leadous of the least hit of atter- ion, led to strong markets for securities. The bank failures, the mer this morning. A general advance of 1.2 the scarceness of money, the dulness of business.

We are showing complete lines to 1.1.2 per cent, took place and the presented with it, all brings fearing of the newest weaves in Black

After making his complaint he went to see his sister. That was about 8 P. M. yesterlay. They entered into conversation as usual in the presence of the cook. Then the cook went upstairs, leaving brother and sister in the rear littchen. As she ascended the stairs the cook heard tirre pistol shots in rapid succession. A brother of Mrs. Cain rushed the members of the bouleshold. Brother and sister were found lying dead, scarcely three feet separating them. One of the bullets had gone through the young woman's forcebead, and snother through her cheek. The young men hed snot himself through the implies. Later in the night Mr. Lutz identified the body, and he also notified the father who is a night watchman, employed by Delliman & Co., in West Nineteenth is street. The father called at the house and saw the boiles, but said nothing as were for great and saw the boiles, but said nothing and the dead wagon was sent for. Early this morning the father called at his son's place of residence and broke open a window to get into the rooms. He wanted to find out, he said, if his son is place of residence and broke open a window to get into the rooms. He wanted to find out, he said, if his son is place of residence and broke open a window to get into the rooms. He wanted to find out, he said, if his son is place of residence and broke open a window to get into the rooms. He wanted to find out, he said, if his son is place of residence and broke open a window to get into the rooms. He wanted to find out, he said, if his son is place of residence and broke open a window to get into the rooms. He wanted to find out, he said, if his son is place of residence and broke open a window to get into the rooms. He wanted to find out, he said, if his son is place of residence and broke open a window to get into the rooms. He wanted to find out, he said, if his son is place of residence and broke open a window to get into the rooms. He wanted to find out, he said, if his son is place of residence and son the room of the surprising particle

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